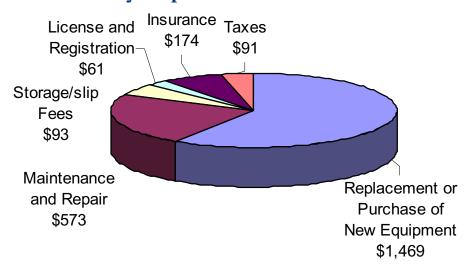
# NORTHERN CALIFORNIA

Results from the 1998 Pacific Socioeconomics Fishing Survey\*

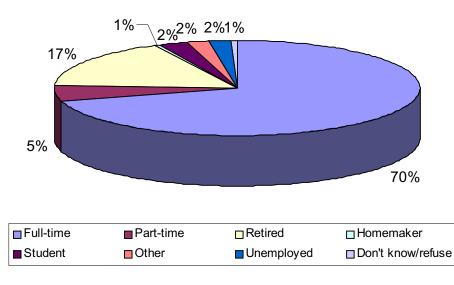
#### **Facts**

- ♦ About 35% of the Northern California anglers surveyed own a boat used for recreational saltwater fishing.
- ♦ The anglers surveyed on a party/charter or rental boat spent on average \$34 per day on boat fees, bait, and fishing licenses. Anglers fishing from shore spent on average \$9 per day on parking fees, bait, and fishing licenses.
- ♦ Anglers interviewed on multi-day trips spent an average of 5 nights away from home and spent \$171 on lodging expenses.
- ♦ About 13% of anglers surveyed who were employed gave up some income by taking a day of fishing. The average income "missed" was around \$436 per trip.
- ◆ The anglers surveyed who live in-state have been fishing an average of 20 years.

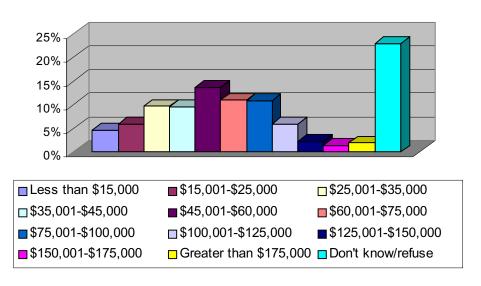
## Yearly Expenses for Boat Owners



## **Employment Status**



#### Household Income



<sup>\*</sup>The data are representative of the anglers surveyed and may not be reflective of the population of this state.